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In re the Application of: **Tetsuji YOSHIMURA et al.**

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NONCOMPLIANT AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Non-Compliant Amendment dated July 9, 2008, Applicants amend the claims as follows and submit the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.